

Wednesday Is Big Day of Conclave

Great Street Parade Is Most Beautiful Sight

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SOCIAL FUNCTIONS GALORE HELD DURING EVENING.

Escort squads from Maysville Commandery met all incoming trains Wednesday morning and escorted large delegations of Knights Templar and their ladies from Lexington, Paris, Portsmouth, Ashland, and many other cities throughout this section to registration headquarters for registration and assignment.

Two special trains arrived during the morning, one on the C. & O. and one on the L. & N.

There were large crowds arrived here Tuesday but these crowds were eclipsed by the legions arriving Wednesday morning. Every road leading into Maysville began to fill early in the morning and by 8:30 o'clock special policemen were stationed at the city limits on all pikes by Chief of Police Mackey. These special policemen distributed to those arriving instructions on parking. The traffic was handled as well as traffic in any big gathering here or elsewhere and Chief of Police James Mackey is to be heartily congratulated upon the splendid system he developed and carried out to such a splendid and satisfactory conclusion.

Detachments of ex-service men of the Leslie H. Arthur Post American Legion greatly helped the police department by serving at all street intersections as traffic officers. Their assistance is greatly appreciated both by the general public and the local Knights Templar.

Wednesday was the big day of the conclave. Every minute of the day has been a busy one and the afternoon and evening is crowded full of receptions and dances.

The features of Wednesday morning were the public service at the First Baptist church where Rev. Sir Robert Lee Telford, of Richmond, preached the annual sermon. The address of welcome was made by Eminent Sir A. Gordon Sulser, who, in his usual pleasing style, made the visitors understand thoroughly that they were very welcome to our city and that everything in the city belonged to them for the asking. This address was ably responded to by Eminent Sir Henry S. McElroy, of Marion Commandery. The music at this service furnished by a choir led by Eminent Sir P. G. Smoot, was a delightful part of the service.

The conclave's great public demonstration—the annual parade—was all that could have been expected. Old Knights Templar in attendance at the conclave, say that the Maysville parade was one of the best at any conclave in recent years. The beautiful white plumes and glistening swords in formation presented a most beautiful sight and Maysville has seldom seen more imposing street demonstration.

Following a luncheon served at the banquet hall of the Masonic Temple, the Seventy-fifth Annual Conclave was opened by the Right Eminent Sir

Samuel Pearce Browning, Grand Commander, in the asylum of Maysville Commandery at the Masonic Temple. Business of vast importance is to be transacted by this conclave which is made up exclusively of Past Eminent Commanders of the various commanderies of Kentucky.

The afternoon and evening is crowded with functions of all kinds for the Knights and ladies. It will be one great round of social gatherings in which members of each commandery will meet the members of the various other commanderies. The official program is as follows:

2 to 3 p. m.—Competitive drill for trophy offered by Maysville Commandery, No. 10, by squads representing various commanderies, on West Third street, between Market and Sutton streets.

3 to 5 p. m.—Reception by Montgomery Commandery, No. 5, at Beechwood Park.

4 to 6 p. m.—Reception by Cour de Lion Commandery, No. 26, at residence of Hon. A. M. J. Cochran, West Third street.

6:30 to 7:30 p. m.—Band Concert, Market street band stand.

7:30 to 9:30 p. m.—Reception and lawn party by Ashland Commandery, No. 28, at residence of Mr. Robt. A. Cochran.

7:30 to 9 p. m.—Reception and 9 to 11:30 p. m. dance, both by Webb Commandery, No. 2, at Beechwood Park.

9 to 12 p. m.—Reception and dance by Covington Commandery, No. 7, on Steamer Morning Star, at Market street landing.

Parade To Be Long Remembered.

The annual public demonstration made on the streets of Maysville at noon Wednesday by the Knights Templar was something that will be long remembered by those who saw it.

Many of the older Knights Templar who attend the Grand Conclaves annually say that never has the Kentucky Knights made a better showing than in the parade Wednesday.

There were thirteen bands in line: Kentucky Cardinals, Horseshoe, Smitie, Portsmouth Shrine, Ashland Band, Cincinnati Masonic Band, Kentucky Odd Fellows' Home, Toleboro, Mayfield, West Union, Georgetown, the Richmond American Legion Band and the Mt. Olivet K. of P. Band. There were near a thousand Knights Templar in line and the demonstration was wonderful.

BROTHER DEAD.

F. F. Gerbrich, of this city, received a telegram announcing the death of his brother, C. F. Gerbrich, at his home at Bellefonte, Pa. Mr. Gerbrich's sister died just forty-five days ago, and the death of his brother leaves him the sole survivor of a family of ten children.

MAHONEY-HAMER.

Thomas E. Hamer and Miss Viola E. Mahoney, both of Chicago, were married in this city Wednesday morning by Rev. John A. Davis. The groom is a clerk in the Windy City.

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PARIS MAN IS IN LINE FOR TEMPLARS' HIGHEST HONORS

Sir Knight Miles H. H. Davis, of Paris, Deputy Grand Commander, has Been Prominent in Masonic Circles for Years.

Sir Knight Miles H. H. Davis, the incoming Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Kentucky, Knights Templar, was born in Union county, Kentucky, November 25th, 1871. Since May, 1904, he has been a resident of Paris, Kentucky.

He received the symbolic degrees of Masonry in Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M., in 1899; the capitol degrees in Lexington Chapter No. 1, R. A. M., in 1900 and 1901; the cryptic degrees in Washington Council No. 1, R. & S. M., in 1902. These bodies are located at Lexington, Kentucky. The Order of Christian Knighthood was conferred on him February 23, 1906, in Cour de Lion Commandery No. 26, Knight Templar, Paris, Kentucky. The Scottish Rite degrees in Grand Consistory of Kentucky at Louisville, attaining the 32nd degree April 7, 1906. He traveled the hot sands in Olga Temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, Lexington, Kentucky, July 4, 1908.

In all of the branches of Masonry he has been an enthusiastic member, devoting all the spare time possible from business affairs to the advancement of the grand old Masonic order.

His views coincide with those of the lamented Hiram Bassett (the noblest Masonic character ever known in the Bluegrass region) that the foundation of Masonry was charity and brotherly love. His belief in these two principles has been strongly evidenced by his many deeds of "charity and pure beneficence." In espousing the cause of a friend or brother, he does it unselfishly and "without the hope of fee or reward." The interest manifested by him has done more to build up the Masonic order in his home town during the past two decades than anything else. As a recognition of his ability and efforts his brethren never cease to award him preferment when possible.

He has been presiding officer of each Masonic body where his membership was, except the Scottish Rite bodies and the Shrine. He was Grand Master of the Grand Council of Kentucky, Royal and Select Masters, for one year; Grand Senior Deacon of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F. & A. M. 1912 to 1913; started in line in the Grand Commandery during the conclave held at Paris in 1912 by being elected Grand Captain of the Guard and has been advanced at each succeeding conclave, now holding the station of Deputy Grand Commander. At the present conclave he will be selected to preside over the destinies of the Grand Commandery, an honor that his fraters and friends deem that he richly merits.

Sir Knight Davis has attended the Triennial conclaves held at Philadelphia and New Orleans as a duly accredited representative, several annual conclaves of the Grand Commandery of Ohio and Indiana, conference of Grand Master of Grand Lodges of the United States at Indianapolis and other notable occasions.

He will be one of the four representatives of Oleika Temple A. A. O. N. M. S., Lexington, to the annual meeting

Our Beautiful Masonic Temple



Where the Seventy-Fifth Annual Conclave Grand Commandery Knights Templar Opened Wednesday Afternoon.

GRAND COMMANDER'S RECEPTION TUESDAY BRILLIANT AFFAIR

Beechwood Park Is Scene of Most Beautiful Reception and Dance by Grand Commander Browning Tuesday Evening.

The reception and dance given at the pavilion at Beechwood Park Tuesday evening by Right Eminent Grand Commander and Mrs. Samuel Pearce Browning was one of the most brilliant affairs given in Maysville in recent years.

Hundreds of Knights and ladies and specially invited guests were received by the Right Eminent Grand Commander and Mrs. Browning and presented to the other Grand Commandery officers and their wives.

In the religious world, he has been a communicant of the Christian church for about thirty years. His membership is now with the Paris Christian church.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF BUSINESS PROPERTY.

The premises occupied by Porter's Undertaking Establishment, and Parker & Riley's Livery Stable will be offered separately and then as a whole.

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THE BANDS.

"Why are the Knights Templar like locusts?"

Because they go forth by bands—so says a gentleman of this city.

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To support such measures as are unquestionably for the good of Mason County as an entire community, rather than such propositions as are in favor of the individual interest, or of one section as against another. And likewise to earnestly and consistently oppose all things that are not for the good of the county as a whole.

ROAD DAMAGE BY OVER-LOADED TRUCKS.

If proof were needed that the overloading of motor trucks is a common thing, and a most serious menace to our public roads, it is to be found in an interesting report recently issued by the Bureau of Public Roads at Washington. This report gives the results of a traffic census made by the bureau in connection with the highway commission of Connecticut, over several roads in that state. One result of this survey was the revelation that at least one truck out of every three was loaded beyond its rated capacity. Each census covered fourteen days for ten hours each day, with two night counts as the basis for an estimate of the night traffic. In that state the weight permitted by the road law for both vehicle and load is 25,000 pounds and it provides that not more than 800 pounds per inch in tire-width may be carried on any vehicle.

"Every third truck on the highway," said the report, "was loaded beyond the capacity of the truck and of the tires. The overloading occurred in practically all types of commodities, and most frequently between the three-ton and five-ton trucks, ranging from 20 per cent. overload for the one-ton trucks to 62 per cent. overload for the three-ton trucks."

"Of the cases of overloading per capacity observed, 75 per cent. was practiced by regular trucking vehicles, 25 per cent. by irregular trucks. Commodity loads exceeding 25,000 pounds were noted in the case of such commodities as brick, butter, drugs, eggs, glass, groceries, lard, meat, plumbing supplies, sugar, vegetables and vinegar."

"Of the number of loads exceeding 25,000 pounds 87.8 per cent. were over-loads per capacity; 88.7 per cent. were by regular trucking companies. Thirty-nine out of forty-one cases were loads from 846 to 1,560 pounds per inch of tire width on rear axle."

The practical results of these investigations are summed up in the following five recommendations, which are primarily directed toward eliminating the overloading evil:

1. Classification of highways.

2. Seasonal restriction of loads.

3. Prohibition of overloads per capacity, and restriction of tire to 800 pounds per inch width.

4. Maximum body width of 7 feet 6 inches.

5. Maximum axle load to be determined for each make and class of truck and placed in conspicuous place on the vehicle.

We are to that the work of making a thorough study of all the elements that go to make up the physical characteristics of the highways will be continued, the bureau having enlisted the aid of many colleges and state universities as can be persuaded to help. There is no question of the need of such scientific studies, and knowledge of what abuses, such as overloading, the highways are subjected to, is necessary to any adequate study of the subject. The use of proper scales for ascertaining who is abusing the roads, and a constabulary force to enforce the road laws would have the state of Kentucky in maintenance charges many times the cost of enforcement. Road maintenance is destined to be, next to education, the state's largest item of expense.—Lexington Herald.

CAGGAGES AND KING'S.

With insatiable thirst for gossip and with a burning desire to probe into the mysteries of sensational transactions again last Saturday afternoon we salied forth seeking to satisfy an intensely feverish curiosity. And as we exchanged the compliments of the day and swapped old jokes with friends and acquaintances we soon became deeply interested in social problems, financial conditions and of local state and national political farce that is so voluminously being thrown upon the public scene. Some of the religious element were censuring the impropriety of the public dancing hall and bathing beach and flagrant gambling on horseracing. And honey we tried so hard and laboriously to figure out the difference of betting on the speed of two horses than between the parlor poker game of which the winner receives a delicate prize, usually a pair of lively flesh-colored stockings. If there is any technical points of law that discerns the difference between the two licensed evils we are in favor of giving the doubt to the hosiery element and let the poker game go right on undisturbed.

And then we got interested in watching a Jacksonville man demonstrating the potentialities of a recently invented glue known as the Devil's Grip and after seeing how securely it would mend broken chinaware, wooden implements and put patches on inner tubes and casings of automobile tires so tight that Henry Ford with all of his wonderful resourcefulness could not add to its usefulness for sticking purposes. This is a striking illustration of financial circumstances at the present as the money powers and millionaires apply the Devil's Grip to the circulation of currency. Millionaires and the money powers are sticking together so tenaciously that it is going to take terrific mauling to burst up this merciless gang of governmental marauders before commercial and industrial paralysis crushes Christian civilization. Already our taxes are fearful obligations, our personal liberties dangerously curtailed and actually our Holy Bible is being denied recognition in our public schools and colleges. It was a rare treat to be among friends last Saturday afternoon and if there are any jealous angels we venture the assertion that they were envious of our good time. And then by gosh, as we leisurely proceeded down the Shun pike the muses charmed us into utter ecstasy and we arose on Sunday morning rejoicing because of the privilege of living in this wonderful and glorious age.—Sandy Blug Correspondent in Nicholasville News.

ACTIVE CO-OPERATION.

That erst-while league of nations advocate, David Lawrence, says that financial phases of world reconstruction are developing which may bring the United States into active co-operation with the economic forces of Europe. "May bring," indeed! The fact is that since the signing of the armistice this country, through the government and private capital, has extended credit to Europe to the extent of some \$8,000,000,000. If that has not been active co-operation in reconstruction, we'd like to know what would be.

SOUTHERN CONGRESS
ON COMMERCE TO
BE HELD SOON

National Conference on Muscle Shoals
Will Be Held at Muscle
Shoals This Month.

Four or five thousand delegates appointed by Governors of States, mayors of cities and commercial organizations will attend the National Conference on Muscle Shoals, at Muscle Shoals, Alabama, May 22-24, held under auspices of the Southern Commercial Congress.

No only will the Muscle Shoals project be considered, but the broader aspects of conservation and development of all natural resources of the country will be discussed.

The conference will decide upon a plan to aid in expediting legislation at this session of the Muscle Shoals project. Special passenger rates have been granted by all American and Canadian railroads for the conference, which is expected to give an impetus to development of natural resources of the whole country and particularly of the South.

Dr. Clarence J. Owens, Director General of the Southern Commercial Congress, through the press of the South, has extended an invitation to any citizen of the Southern States, particularly, and from all sections of the country, to attend the conference. Men and women interested in development of the South and Nation are cordially invited to attend the conference without an formal invitation.

Among the speakers of national prominence at the conference will be former U. S. Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia, Assistant Secretary of Commerce Huston, U. S. Commissioner of Education John J. Tigert, John H. Small, President of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress; James E. Smith, President of the Mississippi Valley Association; Thomas R. Preston, President, and Dr. Clarence J. Owes, Director General of the Southern Commercial Congress; Governor Talor of Tennessee; Former Governor O'Neal of Alabama; Commissioner of the General Land Office and Former Governor Spry of Utah; Victor Hanson, publisher of the Birmingham News, Commissioner Hartwell of Mobile, Ala., Dr. T. C. Atkinson of the National Grange, Hon. Herbert Myrick agricultural editor representing agricultural interests of New England, with many other prominent men.

ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRES
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Ordinary electric light wires are better aerials than those erected by individuals, according to Willard Snyder, and Charles Niehaus, of Cincinnati, who, after a series of experiments, proved Friday night that sig-

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A three plate condenser made of glass and aluminum was used, Snyder and Niehaus having made this by combining two pieces of glass about 2½ inches by 4 inches, and 3 pieces of aluminum, about 2 inches square. The wire leading from the glass was connected with the tuning coil, while that leading from the aluminum was soldered to an electric light wire, the insulation having been scraped away at the point of contact.

When everything was connected properly they tuned in and even though they were using but a crystal detector, were surprised to hear the concert being broadcasted by the Crosley Manufacturing Company, Cincinnati, far more distinctly but no louder than they had been able to hear by means of their old antenna, a single wire eighty feet long and forty feet high.

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GASOLINE STOCK
OF NATION SHOWS
CONTINUED INCREASE

Government Figures Show That the
Stock of Gasoline Continues
Steadily to Increase.

Washington, D. C. — The nation's gasoline stock is still increasing and had on April 1 passed, by some 47,000,000 gallons, the high record mark of 807,000,000 gallons reported in storage March 1, according to a statistical summary just issued by the Bureau of Mines. Stocks of 854,232,000 gallons were on hand April 1, a supply 20 per cent, greater than for April 1, 1921, and 38 per cent. greater than for April 1, 1920.

The number of operative refineries in the United States increased from 296 to 306 during the month of March.

The daily average amount of oil run through the stills was 1,390,000 barrels, an increase of 22,000 barrels in the daily average over the preceding month. The refineries in operation show a 79 per cent. operative status based on their daily indicated capacities, this being an increase of 3 per cent. over the month of February.

Domestic consumption of gasoline for the first quarter of 1922 shows an increase of 7 per cent. over the first quarter of 1921 and 25 per cent. over the corresponding period in 1920.

Kerosene stock decreased 10,000,000 gallons during March. Present stocks of kerosene are 125,000,000 gallons less than a year ago; production for the first quarter was less, and exports and domestic consumption were greater.

Present stocks of gas and fuel oils are 1,250,275,000 gallons, a decrease of 71,000,000 gallons as compared with the February reserve. Comparison of the first quarter of this year with a similar period last year show an increased production of 140,741,000 gallons and an increased production of 140,741,000 gallons and an increased domestic consumption of 458,235,000 gallons. Exports and shipments to industrial possessions were 68,594,000 gallons less the first quarter this year than last.

The production of lubricating oils showed a daily average decrease of 101,000 gallons, and reserves were reduced to the extent of 16,700,000 gallons during the month; the present reserve being 236,886,000 gallons.

The Oklahoma bathing-suit bridegroom says he has had many offers to go into the movies. Mr. Hays didn't get on the job a bit too soon.

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MAYSVILLE GAS CO.FOUR MORE COUNTIES AT
WORK ON TAX INCREASE.

Frankfort, Ky., May 13. — Increased assessments ordered by the state tax commission in Anderson, Boyle, Spencer and Madison counties will be made as directed, according to Rainey T. Wells, chairman of the state tax commission. Representatives of Boyle county appeared before the commission today and stated that the county was now at work on making the increase directed by the board. The board of supervisors of the other counties have reconvened to make the increase.

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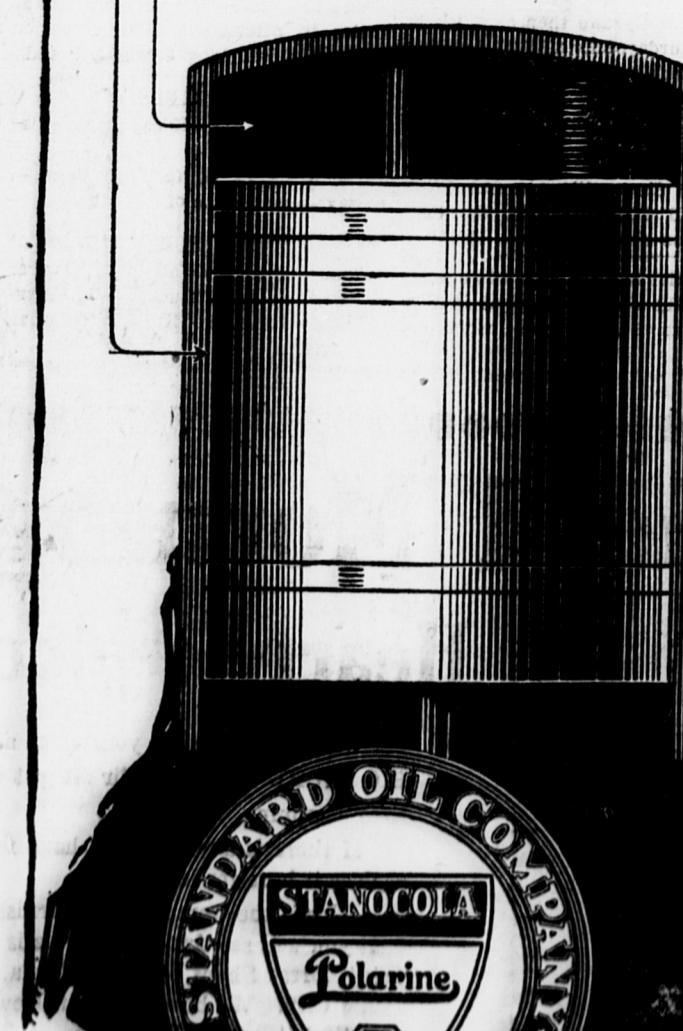
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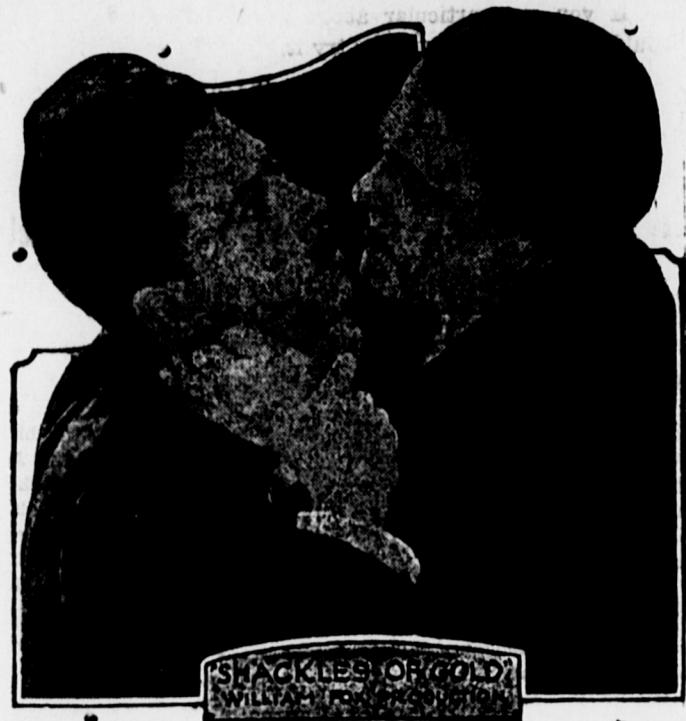


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IN ELECTRIC CHAIR

Mason County Man Is Yet To Be Tried
For Part in Covington
Murder Case.

A motion for a new trial in the case of James Powers, who was convicted recently on a charge of willful murder. Floyd, Wm. F. Schardine; Sir Knights in connection with the fatal shooting of Morris Lee, theater manager, on the night of last January 22, was overruled yesterday by Judge F. M. Tracy in the criminal division of the Kenton Circuit Court at Covington.

Judge Tracy then asked Powers if

he had anything to say as to why sentence should not be pronounced on him. When Powers answered "no," Judge Tracy said: "It is the judgment of this court that you be taken to the Eddyville Prison and there executed in the electric chair."

George Sanders, another defendant in the case, is now serving a life sentence in the Frankfort Penitentiary. Isaiah McKnight and Ray Rogers whose home is in Mason county, both of whom testified for the state are in jail awaiting disposition of their cases in which they are charged with the same crime.

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GRAIN CROP

OF KENTUCKY
SHOWS INCREASE

Crop Report Issued By Government
And State Shows that In-
cations Are For Better
Grain Crop.

The condition of Kentucky's wheat crop indicates a probable production of about 8,336,000 bushels this season, compared to 6,340,000 bushels finally produced last year, according to the May crop report for Kentucky, issued recently by the U. S. Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates in co-operation with State Commissioner of Agriculture W. C. Hanna. Probable production of rye for grain is estimated at 239,000 bushels compared to 180,000 bushels last year; and hay of all kinds about 1,271,000 tons compared to 1,127,000 tons grown last year. Actual production this season may prove greater or less than these estimates depending on whether conditions are particularly favorable or unfavorable until threshing and hay harvest.

Wheat and rye came through the winter in excellent condition in most counties but farmers in some of the wheat growing counties report that wheat has been injured some by wet weather and late frosts this spring.

Kentucky's wheat acreage left for harvest now is estimated at 650,000 acres compared to 634 acres finally harvested last year. Condition May 1 this year was 95 per cent. of normal, compared to 93 per cent. May 1 last year, and a ten-year average of 87 on May 1. Rye condition May 1 was 95 per cent. of normal, compared to a ten year average of 90 per cent. May 1.

The recent rains and cool weather were general practically throughout Kentucky, so that plowing was only 66 per cent. done by May 1, compared to 69 per cent. usually done by May 1. Fifty per cent. of spring planting was done by May 1, compared to 44 per cent. usually finished by May 1. Condition of pastures May 1 was 96 compared to a ten-year average of 85. Seventeen per cent. of last year's hay crop (or 192,000 tons) still was on farms in Kentucky May 1, 1922, compared to about 321,000 tons Hay 7, 1921.

RAPID EXPANSION MADE
IN STRAWBERRY GROWING.

Lexington, Ky. — During the past two or three years, strawberry growing in western Kentucky and border counties of Tennessee has experienced an unprecedented growth, according to Morgan O. Hughes, of the Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station, and one of the well-known authorities in Kentucky on the crop. Sixteen associations formed in that territory for marketing the berries represent an estimated total of 8,000 acres, he said.

"Kentucky growers are finding that good care of their beds will increase the yields at least 50 per cent." Mr. Hughes said in discussing practices followed in growing the crop. "Immediately after the end of the bearing season, which is usually about June 10 to 15 in Kentucky, the vines are mowed off and the beds raked clean after which the rows are barbed out on each side with a disc cultivator or one-horse plow until they are about eight inches wide. After this has been done, some growers find it a good plan to go across the rows with a smoothing harrow that has the teeth set straight. This not only kills many weeds but also pulls out some of the surplus plants usually found in a well manured row.

"The ridges then are rolled down and the middles silted out with a double shovel of bull tongue plow and the beds given frequent cultivation. As the vines throw out new plants, the rows are allowed to spread out until about 12 inches wide and are given two or three hoeings at intervals to keep them free of weeds. Old beds usually are cultivated until the ground becomes too wet or frozen in order that they can be left entirely clean in the fall.

"After new beds have been set in the spring and up until the first of July, they are cultivated both ways with a tool similar to a 14-tooth garden harrow. This is discontinued when the runners are about one foot long, these being allowed to form a matted row that should spread out until about 12 inches wide. Hand hoeing is necessary after this to keep down weeds. Missing places in the row are filled by careful training of the runners."

WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
EXERCISES BEGIN FRIDAY

Annual Sermon Preached Sunday —
Commencement Exercises To Be
Held Next Tuesday Evening.

The annual closing exercises of the Washington High School will begin on Friday evening of this week at which time the annual class play will be given at the High School Auditorium.

The annual Baccalaureate sermon will be preached at the Washington Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock by the Rev. Dr. W. B. Campbell, president of Kentucky Wesleyan College, Winchester, and former local pastor.

Class Day exercises will be held on Monday evening at the auditorium and

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on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock the final Commencement exercises will be held. The commencement address will be by Rev. Dr. M. B. Adams, President of Georgetown College, Georgetown, Ky.

UNCLAIMED MAIL.

Unclaimed letters in the Maysville postoffice, will end May 17:

Campbell, W. L.
Crace, John C.
Hupp, Mrs. W. E.
DeLoach, Miss Clara Leck
Martin, Patrick
Thomas, Mrs. Maddy
Williams, D. M.
Wolff, John L.
Willet, J. D.

One cent due on above letters; persons calling for same will please say "Advertised." M. F. KEHOE, P. M.

REPUBLICAN SWORN IN AS
HARRISON COUNTY JUDGE.

Cynthiana, Ky., May 16. — W. W. Vandener, Republican City Attorney of Cynthiana, was today sworn in as presiding judge of the Harrison County Court, having been appointed by Governor Morrow to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge R. M. Collier. During Judge Collier's long illness, Attorney W. H. Laall, Democrat, was acting judge.

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CAR OF EAR CORN On the Track R. M. HARRISON & SON

DIED AT DAYTON, OHIO.

Mrs. Howard Perry, formerly Miss Mary Fitch of Lewisburg, this county, died Tuesday morning at her home in Dayton, Ohio. Her remains will arrive here Thursday and will be taken to Martin's graveyard in Ohio for burial. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. John Dickson, of Germantown, and four brothers, William, Reuben, Chambers and Cooper Fitch, all of this county.

TIME FOR OPENING BIDS IS POSTPONED.

Owing to unavoidable delays, the bids for the construction of the First Christian Church Sunday school building will not be opened until noon on Wednesday, May 24th.

Ledger Service—Efficiency

EXPRESS TRAIN ON C. & O. IS WRECKED.

West bound special express-freight train on the C. & O. was wrecked near Sand Hill, Lewis county, at shortly after midnight Wednesday. Eight cars of express were derailed and the express was considerably scattered. Fortunately no one was injured. All trains were delayed for some time and this delayed quite a bit the arrival of a special C. & O. train carrying Knights Templar from Ashland and Ports-mouth.

METHODIST PRAYER SERVICE.

The regular prayer service at Third Street M. E. church Thursday at 7:30 p. m. will be led by Mrs. R. T. Watson. The choir meets for thirty-minute rehearsal after prayer meeting. Some special music for practice this week and all are urged to be present.

TOBACCO TALK

Farmer Brown had a worried appearance as he went about his work for, though corn planting was finished and tobacco plants doing as well as one had a right to expect, his supply of ready money was about exhausted and there were necessities he and his family must have. He had never established a real banking connection and naturally hesitated to ask for a loan.

Quite a contrast to his mood was that of his neighbor Smith who, gaily whistling, rode up on his sorrel mare. "Heard the news, Brown?" he shouted, and without waiting for a reply went on. "The association is making another payment on our tobacco next Saturday and there is going to be a big celebration in town. We'll get as much as we did on the first payment." "Hooyah," shouted Brown. "That's great. It sure will come in handy for me and the Missus, for we have been going without things we needed for some time."

"No reason for that," replied Smith. "Why don't you go to the State National Bank? Those fellows are always ready and willing to help us over the hard places."

"I don't know much about banks but I've been thinking I would start an account with the next money I get," said Brown.

"A good idea," was his progressive neighbor's response. "Now is the time and the State National the place because Lige made possible this very distribution when he recommended that big purchase of pooled tobacco for his company. Get ready and go down with me Saturday and we'll both deposit our checks in the reliable old bank that never fails a loyal customer in a pinch."

THE STATE NATIONAL BANK, THE ONLY NATIONAL BANK IN THE COUNTY.

SATURDAY TO BE FARMERS' DAY HERE

Business Men Arrange For Celebration of Farmers' Day on Saturday When Checks are Distributed.

The Maysville business men desiring to cooperate with the members of the Burley Tobacco Growers Association have made the following arrangements for Saturday, May 20, when the checks for the second payment will be distributed to the growers by the association.

Business houses are requested to decorate for the day. Appropriate cards testifying to their interest in the association have been prepared and may be secured from any member of the committee for window display.

Refreshments will be provided upon the streets for all members and their families throughout the day.

Band concert by the Horseshoe Band at Opera House, 1:45 to 1:30 p. m.

Band concert, Cardinal Band, Market street esplanade, 3 to 4 p. m.

BUSINESS MENS COMMITTEE, By N. S. CALHOUN, Chairman.

MAN HAS RIGHT TO SELF DEFENSE PLEA.

Frankfort, Ky., May 16. — A man does not forfeit his right to plead self defense, even though he fires the first shot in a fatal battle. The Court of Appeals held today in reversing the life sentence assessed against Add Shell by a jury in the Harlan circuit court for killing Henry Blanton.

In its opinion the court said that the evidence showed that Blanton had threatened Shell with a pistol before the first shot was fired in a fight on September 12, 1921, in which Blanton was killed. There had been some previous trouble between the men.

HOESHOE BAND GIVEN SOUVENIRS.

The Horseshoe Band, of this city, which headed Webb Commandery, of Lexington, in the parade Wednesday, was presented with souvenirs by the commandery. They were bronze with ribbons of black and white and bore the inscription: "Webb Commandery Official Band at Maysville, Ky., 1922," and, my, how proud the boys are of them.

PINCHOT DEFEATED FOR GOVERNOR.

Philadelphia, May 17. — The race for the Republican nomination for governor of Pennsylvania at yesterday's primary election between Attorney General George E. Alter and Gifford Pinchot, one time state forester, was one of the closest in years. Complete figures probably will be needed to determine the winner.

With nearly two-thirds of the state heard from early today after was leading by a little more than 25,000.

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Played by Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra. — On the reverse

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Two beautiful orchestrations on one record for only

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"By the Sapphire Sea" the rhythm is simple, direct and catches up, one after the other some beautiful smooth melodies for each instrument through the group of instruments. "Bygones" is something new with wonderful "coloratura" effects for the saxophone.

"I'VE GOT THE WONDER WHERE HE WENT BLUES"

"HE MAY BE YOUR MAN" (But he comes to see me sometimes.) Lucille Hegamin and Her Syncopators

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"DOO-DAH BLUES." Mamie Smith

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NOTICE!

Members of the executive board of the N. A. A. C. P. will meet at Odd Fellows' Hall in Sutton street, Thursday evening of this week, at 7 o'clock. The line officers are requested to be present with their reports, and the meetings committee are hereby notified to meet with the executive board. All come on time. BESSIE HIGGINS, Drive Promoter.

REVIVAL CONTINUES.

The revival services at Sedden M. E. church are still in progress. Rev. Peters is preaching some of the most powerful sermons ever heard in this church. Services each evening at 7:30 and everyone is most cordially invited.

COLORED CITIZENS.

Congo River Tabernacle Lodge, No. 80, will meet Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

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LIBBY PINK SALMON, Special	.12c
BANNER SUGAR CORN, Special	.10c
MONARCH B. BEANS, Special	.10c
DUTCH CLEANSER, Special	.10c
RYZON BAKING POWDER, 30 cent size	.25c
RYZON BAKING POWDER, 60 cents size	.45c
LARD, in pail No. 3	.50c
LARD, in pail No. 5	.75c
LARD, in pail No. 10	\$1.50

FOR SALE — at Public Auction, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Saturday, May 13, at 2 p. m. No. 225 East Fifth street. 10 May 31.

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ACTING POLICE SERGEANT.

Former Police Sergeant Harry L. Walsh, is on desk duty at Police Headquarters Wednesday, Sergeant Carey being on duty on the streets. Sergeant Walsh is an expert at the business and all police business will be handled with dispatch.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce W. J. FIELDS as a candidate for Congress, subject to the action of the Democratic party, in the primary to be held on Saturday, August 5th, 1922.

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WANTED — Three salesmen to sell to farmers. Steady employment, good money. Call 7 to 8 evenings, H. A. Mercer, St. Charles Hotel. 15M3t

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LOST

LOST — Gold watch fob, with initials "J. H." on it. Please return to John Heffernan and receive reward. 17May-2t

LOST — Small link gold watch chain on Sunday, between Christian church and Lower Sutton street. Please return to Ledger office and receive reward. 15May-3t

LOST — Package of mail in grand stand of ball park. Finder please return to L. R. Steel Co., and receive reward. 12May-8t

LOST — Dark canary singer, on West Second street. Reward if returned. Mrs. Owen Lester. 11M3t

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Slowly but surely business conditions are improving. Men laid off for long or short periods, are going back to work. Merchants and manufacturers report better business. The farmer whistles as he works for the lean year is passing and, best of all, the Association is making another payment on tobacco.

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